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I was born and raised in the same Kaumana-Ainako district that I now want to represent. Paternal grandfather, Antone DeMello was the caretaker of Rainbow Falls and married Ti Mariana Lima Carvalho. Maternal grandfather, John Kama was a paniolo for Kapapala Ranch who married Rose Kaheiki of Kalapana. My father, the late Dan DeMello, was employed by the Hilo Iron Works and married my mother Lehua Kama of Keauhou Ranch, Volcano. My two sisters are Sheila DeMello Hayashida and Sarah Iini DeMello. My broither was the late Daniel DeMello. I am married to Bill Vannatta, formally of Kapaau, Kohala and Gray Line Hawaii. I have two daughters, Karron Vannatta with HT&T Freight in Kona and Billie Vannatta, my miracle child, a student at Hilo High.

My last job was as owner/operator of the Banyan Broiler. I retired in 1990 and have since dedicated my life to island-wide community services.

Rhetoric without results has always bothered me.

No politician can come before you and give you all the answers. We must lead by the power of our example. None of this will happen unless we change the way we think. We must find a way to get along.

Let's be part of the solution. Let's compromise – Some of my friends will be for the solutions, some of my friends will be against the solutions. Let the chips fall where they may...I stand by my friends!!

Vote Vannatta for a change.

Think about it....Talk about it.